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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of:

McHale et al.

Appln. No.: 08/044,240

Examiner: Keith D. Hendricks

Filed: April 7, 1993

Art Unit: 1761

For: MULTI-PHASE SHEETED
CHEWING GUM AND METHOD
OF APPARATUS FOR MAKING

Attorney Docket No: 1391/1275

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Attached is/are:

- Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); Response After Final Rejection and Summary of Interview.
 Return Receipt Postcard

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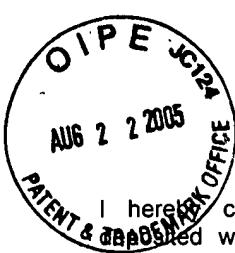
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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION and

SUMMARY OF INTERVIEW

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 14, 2005 for the above-captioned case, please consider the following remarks. A Notice of Appeal has been filed in this case. However, it is believed that the following remarks will overcome the

outstanding rejections and either put the case in condition for allowance or at least in better form for appeal.

Although no amendments are made at the present time, a listing of claims begins on page 3 of this paper for the examiner's convenience. Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.